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**MONTE NOWDEN INDICTED BY MONROE COUNTY GRAND JURY**

On February 14, 2012, Indictment 0107/2012 was filed by the Monroe County Grand Jury against former Gates Chili basketball coach, Monte Nowden. The indictment charges Nowden with two counts of Rape in the Third Degree and one count of Criminal Sexual Act in the Third Degree, all felony charges, stemming from conduct alleged to have occurred in January and February, 2012.

Nowden will appear before Monroe County or Supreme Court for arraignment on the indictment at a future date yet determined. The case is being handled by Assistant District Attorney Amanda Balling.